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Group Art Unit: **1754**

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For: **PROCESS FOR DENITRIFICATION AND EXHAUST GASSES,
PARTICULARLY FOR LEAN OPERATED INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINES**

Attorney Docket No.: **3926.030**

AMENDMENT B

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of August 11, 2003, the period for response extended to December 11, 2003, by a Petition for One Month Extension and payment of fee filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Specification (Abstract) begin on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.